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DIRECTOR

February 17, 2022

Dana Forney
1400 Joy Bell Lane
West Branch, MI 48661

RE: License #: DG650075535
Forney, Dana
1400 Joy Bell Lane
West Branch, MI 48661

Dear Ms. Forney:

Attached is your renewal inspection report. You can find a copy of this renewal inspection report and any associated corrective action plans on our [website](#) under [Statewide Search for Licensed Child Care Centers and Homes](#). A description of when renewal inspection reports are completed can be found under [Overview of Licensing Reports](#).

As a result of the renewal inspection on 02/16/2022, I did not find any rule or law violations. You will receive your regular license in the mail.

| During calendar year 2021: | Total |
|---|--------------|
| Number of serious injuries that occurred in facility. | 0 |
| Number of deaths that occurred in the facility. | 0 |
| Number of substantiated cases of abuse and/or neglect of a child that occurred at the facility. | 0 |

Please contact me with any questions. In the event that I am not available and you need to speak to someone immediately, please contact the local office at (517) 284-9730.

Per MCL 722.113g, this report and any related corrective action plans must be filed in your Licensing Notebook.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joshua Stein". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Joshua Stein, Licensing Consultant
Child Care Licensing Bureau
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enclosure

**MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS
CHILD CARE LICENSING BUREAU
RENEWAL INSPECTION REPORT**

I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

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|--------------------------------|---|
| License #: | DG650075535 |
| Licensee Name: | Dana Forney |
| Licensee Address: | 1400 Joy Bell Lane West Branch, MI 48661 |
| Licensee Telephone #: | (989) 345-7454 |
| Licensee: | N/A |
| Name of Facility: | Forney, Dana |
| Facility Address: | 1400 Joy Bell Lane West Branch, MI 48661 |
| Facility Telephone #: | (989) 345-7454 |
| Original Issuance Date: | 09/03/1997 |
| Capacity: | 12 |
| Age Range: | Ages Birth Thru 14 years |

II. METHODS OF INSPECTION

Date of On-site Inspection(s): 02/16/2022

| | No. of Records Reviewed | |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| No. of children enrolled in care | 19 | 13 |
| No. of assistant caregivers employed | 2 | 2 |
| No. of child care children present at time of inspection | 11 | |
| No. of other children present at time of inspection | 0 | |
| No. of assistant caregivers present at time of inspection | 1 | |
| Licensee present at time of inspection? | Yes | |
| Persons Interviewed: | Licensee | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| | Assistant Caregivers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

Approved child use space: The living room, playroom, bedroom, kitchen, and dining room are approved child use spaces.

Exiting information (including second floor and basement): There are two exits in the child care home. The first exit is in the living room and provides egress to the front yard. The second exit is in the kitchen and provides egress to the driveway.

Approved variances - No Yes Description:

Key Indicator Inspection: No

Additional information:

- Pets? No Yes If yes, describe.
One small Poodle.
- Hot tubs or spa pool? No Yes If yes, are there appropriate barriers?
- Swimming pool? No Yes If yes, describe pool and barriers.
- Other water hazards? No Yes If yes, describe.
- Fireplace or wood burning stove? No Yes If yes, describe.
- Fireplace/wood burner in use during child care hours? No Yes If yes, describe barriers to protect children from burns.

III. DESCRIPTION OF FINDINGS & CONCLUSIONS

This renewal inspection involved a review of all applicable child care home administrative rules and statutes. Verification of compliance included direct observations of the physical environment and the program, discussions with staff,

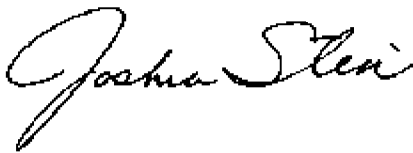
and a review of the home's records, including staff records and children's records. Staff records include background checks, medical clearance information, and training information. Children's records include child information cards and child in care statements/receipts.

During the inspection, I observed Ms. Forney to engage with the children through interactive play. I observed rest time, snack time, and Ms. Forney providing children with different activities. I observed the caregivers' interactions with the children in care to be developmentally appropriate and responsive to their needs.

The facility is in compliance with all applicable rules and statutes.

IV. RECOMMENDATION

I recommend issuance of a regular license to this child care program.



February 17, 2022

Joshua Stein
Licensing Consultant

Date